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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Villarosa *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/353,120

Filed: July 14, 1999

For: **CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR  
DETECTING AND  
CORRECTING DATA  
CLOCKING ERRORS**

Group Art Unit: 2631

Examiner: Kumar, Pankaj

Docket No. 061607-1100

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FIRST RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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In response to the outstanding non-final Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 7, 2002 (Paper No. 2), Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Paradyne Corporation's Deposit Account No. 16-0255.

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED FOR LARGE ENTITY					
	Claims After Amendment	Highest Prev. Paid For	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	- 20	6	x 18.00	= \$108.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3	0	x 84.00	= \$0.00
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment					= \$108.00

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Attached are the following documents for filing with the USPTO:

First Response

Amendment Transmittal Letter (with \$108.00 amendment fee deposit  
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Petition and Request for One Month Extension of Time (with \$110.00 fee  
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